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A CORYDON BOY WINS THE MEDAL

Large Crowds Attend Oratorical Contest at Sturgis, Friday Night.

The annual contest of Central Oratorical association was held Friday night at Sturgis and was won by Wilson Ball, representative of the Corydon high school, who delivered a splendid address. The competing schools were Sturgis, Marion, Dixon, Providence and Corydon.

Two special trains carried 200 to attend the exercises, one train bringing about 100 from Corydon and a special train from here carried an equal number, besides a number being present from Sebree, Dixon and Providence. The judges were Dr. Geo. Clark, of Henderson; Rev. W. R. Cady, of Morganfield, and Superintendent, F. C. Sipple, of Princeton.

Dr. George W. Clark, in announcing the decision of the judges, caused quite a stir, by first announcing that Marion had won, (you ought to have heard them yell,) with the pretty girls and then when he announced that Sturgis had won, (they took the roof off) with their hospitality but when he finally announced that Corydon had won and walked over to pin the gold medal on the young orator, the Corydon rovers brought down the house. While many were disappointed, all seemed to be satisfied with the decision, and all in all the occasion was a pleasant one for the young folks who are now anxiously looking forward to the next one.

A WORTHY COLORED COUPLE

Ike Wilson And Nellie Hodge Married In Morganfield.

Last Wednesday Ike Wilson and Miss Nellie Hodge, two well known colored people of the city, were united in marriage at Morganfield, where the bride to be had gone to visit her mother.

Ike, who is Judge Blue's right hand man, besides being janitor for the Marion Bank, Southern Presbyterian church, the Press building, and the Postoffice building, is thrifty and exceedingly industrious. He owns his home on south Main street and has begun housekeeping there with his bride. Mrs. Wilson, before her marriage, lived with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Dupuy and was a good trusty servant entirely worthy of the confidence they placed in her and deserving of the many favors they extended to her. They start on their marital journey with the good wishes of many friends among the white people as well as the colored.

Elmer Jennings Killed.

Elmer Jennings, son of G. F. Jennings, of this city, was killed Tuesday in a head on collision near Chicago. We have not heard any of the particulars. His father left here soon after receiving the news to bring the remains home. His mother was a Miss Clark, being a sister of Rev. J. R. and Lem Clark, who live near the city. He visited here last week.

MARION CHAUTAUQUA JUNE 14-20.

LITTLE GIRLS MAKE SERIOUS CHARGES

Jack Chittenden, Well Known Here, Is Held.

Five girls in short dresses, aged 10 to 15 years, swore in police court Monday that Andrew J. Chittenden, 40, widower, grocer at Seventh and Oak streets, had taken undue liberties with them in the store.

Police Judge Gould bound Chittenden over to circuit court to await the finding of the grand jury on a charge of assault and battery with intent to rape.

The girls who told of being hazged and embraced by the grocer are Lillie Newman, 10; Elizabeth Wilson, 10; Edith Carlson, 13; Nellie Duncan, 12, and Lennie Duncan, 15. All live in the neighborhood of the grocery. — Evansville Press, May 12th.

Superintendent of Orphan's Home Here.

W. H. Collins, district superintendent of the Ky., Children's Home Society of Louisville, was here Sunday and made talks at each of the following Sunday Schools and churches: Southern, Northern, and Cumberland Presbyterian churches, Methodist and Baptist churches. At some of the churches special collections were taken up and at others they will be taken up and forwarded later in this month. Mr. Collins was given a respectful and interested hearing by our Christian people.

Pay Your Cemetery Dues.

May 30th decoration day will soon be here, all cemetery lot dues should be paid in before that time.

Nell Walker—Sec'y.

OPEN AIR CONCERT AND REFRESHMENTS

Friday evening, May 16th, on the school grounds, there will be an open air concert, given by the school orchestra. The front yard will be brilliantly lighted and there will be plenty of seats to accommodate the crowd that may come to hear the music.

Ice cream, cake, lemonade, candy and ice cream cones will be served at reasonable prices. The purpose of this concert is to raise some money for the school improvement fund. It will be an evening of festivity. Those who don't enjoy music or good things to eat or the society of young people, need not come.

All refreshments are to be contributed by friends of the school. If you can make good candy show your loyalty by sending a box to the committee. If you have a favorite recipe for ice cream telephone us and we shall send for a freezer of it. If you can bake a good cake help a good cause by baking one for this occasion.

The music is free; you only pay for what you eat.

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HISTORICAL HOUSE BURNS LAST THURSDAY

The John Murphy Residence on Bellville St. Is Devoured

The residence occupied by Thos. Woody on Bellville street owned by Mrs. Maria E. Croft was burned to the ground soon after noon last Thursday. It caught in the ceiling above the cooking stove and was beyond control when discovered. The volunteer fire brigade saved J. G. Rochester's out buildings and residence by skillful and hard work, no other property being endangered especially.

We are informed that Mr. Woody carried \$600 insurance and Mrs. Croft \$2000, which only partly covered the loss sustained by each of them. The house was built by the late John Murphy, who died there. Afterward the property was acquired by J. P. Pierce who moved to this city from his farm near Jackson's school house about a third of a century ago. He sold the property to Mrs. Croft, the present owner.

In this house Mr. W. B. Yandell and Mrs. Florence Pierce were married and only a short while ago Mr. Cecil Ellis and Miss Jesse Croft were united in matrimony in its spacious parlor.

Carrsville Home Destroyed.

Yesterday about 11:30 o'clock a. m., the residence of R. H. Wright, of Hampton, was destroyed by fire that caught in the kitchen flue.

The household and kitchen furniture were saved. The loss is about \$1,000 or \$1,200. This is a total loss, as Mr. Wright had no insurance on his property. — Carrsville Enterprise.

DYCSBURG

Miss Cora Graves, who has been visiting in Fredonia, returned home Sunday.

Miss Ola Charles returned home from a visit in Calvert City.

Mrs. Freeman Ramage and sister, Grace Baird, are visiting in Crayne.

Lina Ramage, of Crider, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hurst have left for an extended visit in Dover, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Padon, of Elm Grove section, were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Cooksey and grandson, Glen Phillips, of Kuttaw, were in town Thursday.

J. R. Glass has a full line of nice hardware.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Grasham, of Salem, were guests of Owen Boaz, Sunday.

Colin Owens and wife were guests of her father, Tom Hard, of Frances, Saturday, and her sister, Miss Tennie, returned home with them.

Mrs. Jessie Grimes, of Frances, is the guest of relatives at this place.

Mrs. Les Hobson, of Paducah, is the guest of Mrs. Virginia Vosier, at this writing.

Prof. Dave Brightwell and Miss Edmona Bennett have been elected as teachers for our com-

NEAR OUR BORDERS, HEINOUS CRIME

Committed In Hardin County, Ill.,—
Man Kills Wife.

Hardin county was the scene of a most heinous crime Monday afternoon when Ernest Lowry, son of Joe Lowry, murdered his wife, Sarah, who is the daughter of Frank Ledbetter. The crime was committed in the woods on the Joe Lowry farm five miles north of Cave in Rock about four o'clock Monday afternoon.

Lowry had been working in a field and was going through a patch of woods near his home and found his wife in company with Otto Callison, lying on the grass. Lowry approached them and spoke roughly to his wife and said, "Now will you give me all you have of mine." "I will give you a divorce" was her reply. With this Lowry whipped out a revolver and fired three bullets into her body before she could get to her feet. Two of the shots took effect in the face and one in the left breast. The women died instantly. — Shawneetown News-Gleaner.

Popular Young Man Is Dangerously Sick.

James Carless, a popular young salesman for the Allison Mercantile company, is dangerously ill at his home, being afflicted with congestion of the brain. Physicians were in consultation yesterday. The patient was somewhat improved today. — Popular Bluff, Mo., Republican.

HAS RELATIVES IN LIVINGSTON

Famous Surgeon Will Be a "Home-Comer."

Dr. Russell Hibbs, of New York, a widely known orthopedic surgeon, will be one of the Home-Comers. Dr. Hibbs is a native of Livingston county, but is well remembered by the older residents, as he practiced in Western Kentucky before removing to New York, where he has achieved fame as a surgeon. Recently he has received splendid recognition in the medical world for his discovery of a delicate operation of the spine to relieve hunchbacks. He will read a paper before the annual session of the Southwestern Kentucky Medical society which will in session during Home-Coming week.

He is an uncle of Dr. A. H. Shawmell and a brother Mr. Lucy Hibbs, of Paducah, and Mrs. James Fleming, of Birdsville, and will be their guest while in the state. — Paducah Sun.

Providence Banker Better.

It will be gratifying to the numerous friends of Press Food, cashier of the Union National Bank, to know that he continues to improve and unless something unforeseen should happen that he will be able to be brought home within a week or ten days. He is still at Gilbert's sanitarium at Evansville attended by his wife and father. — Providence Enterprise.

Chi-Namel Demonstration AT THE CHI-NAMEL STORE

ON
MAY 23rd and 24th.

We have the sales agency for the line of all-purpose varnish, which is so far ahead of any varnish that has ever been sold in this community, that we particularly desire an early opportunity to show its good points to some member of every household in our business district.

What we want you to know about this wonderful varnish is something that cannot be told; but we can show you in a very few minutes that you get more for your money every time by using Chi-Namel Varnish for floors, woodwork, furniture, or anything about the house on which varnish is used.

This varnish is furnished in the natural color and also in a full variety of colors. It can be hammered and boiled without showing any signs of abuse. Any amateur can apply it to large surfaces and get just as smooth a finish as a professional finisher—no laps, no brush marks, no blotches to make a patchy appearance.

You will thank us for this invitation after you have come to know all about it.

Other features we want to show you are the Chi-Namel Ready-to-Use Graining Process, by which you can cover all blemishes in your old floors and make them any color you wish, and also produce the grain of oak or other woods.

Old carpets can be made into rugs and a new hardwood border will take the place of the ugly flooring at a cost of but 2c per square foot.

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ing term of school. Allow us to congratulate the new Board in this selection of teachers. We have one of Lyon county's best, and of Paducah most popular teachers.

There is some talk of a W.O.W. camp being organized here.

Let everyone interested in the Dycusburg cemetery meet there the 4th Saturday in May with a basket of dinner.

Bishop C. H. Phillips

Coming to Marion.

Bishop C. H. Phillips, A. M., M. D., D. D., of the colored M. E. church, presiding over the west Kentucky conference, will be in Marion next week Wednesday and Thursday, May 21st and 22nd. He will preach at the opera house Wednesday, May 21st. Drs. W. P. Gordon, pastor of the M. E. church, south, M. E. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist church, will be with us on the above named evening.

Our white friends are cordially invited to come to the opera house Wednesday evening and hear him. We will give a banquet for the Bishop on Thursday evening at Stewart's chapel C. M. E. church. Our white friends are invited to be present. Judge Kevil, the Mayor of Marion will make the welcome address to the Bishop. We have an excellent program for the night of the banquet. Come and hear it. The Rev. Mrs. Allen will preach at the court house Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. All are asked to come May 18th. W. W. Atchison, Pastor.

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Old Organs.....\$10 "
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